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FORT SHERIDAN, MESS HALL AND HEATING PLANT (Building No. 47)

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S side of Whistler Rd. Mess Hall: brick, 72'-6" x 176', one story, hipped roof with cupolas, decorative brick cornice, brick buttresses on long sides, brick entryways on short sides, flat gauged brick arches over openings; Heating Plant (attached at right angle to south side of Mess Hall); brick, 63'-6" x 114', one-and-a-half stories,

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gable roof with raked terra cotta coping at gable end, flat gauged brick arches over windows, heating equipment contained in long, low brick addition which parallels wing; Richardsonian Romanesque features. Built 1891 Holabird and Roche, Chicago, architects; interior extensively remodeled to serve as Post Exchange 1908. One of the more elaborate of the Holabird and Roche buildings at Fort Sheridan. 7 ext. photos (1979), 1 photocopy of ca. 1897 ext. view; 6 data pages (1979). Also see Fort Sheridan Historic District (HABS No. IL-1113) data pages (1979) OAHP Inventory.

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